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In re Application of: Record

Attorney Docket No.: NWISP026

Application No.: 10/602,453

Examiner: CHANG, YEAN-HSI

Filed: June 23, 2003

Group: 2835

Title: DISK DRIVE BACKPLANE CAPABLE
OF SUPPORTING MULTIPLE DISK DRIVE
CARRIER DESIGNS

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

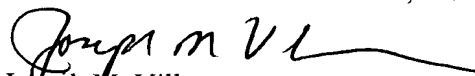
Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	14	MINUS	26	0	x 25 =	x 50 = 0
Independent Claims	2	MINUS	3	0	x 100 =	x 200 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$180.00	\$360.00
Total					\$	\$0

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NWISP026).

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.